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TO: WASHF

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RE: WASH 49038 (OUT 62999)

THUNDERCLAP.

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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
SOURCE/METHOD/EXEMPTION 3820
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
DATE 2007

1. FOLLOWING COMPRISE GROUP:

A. HAN KOTARE, CHIEF, BORN 1902 IN KALIS-LUMA, MOSLEM, NO FORMAL EDUCATION, LITERATE.

B. SELIM TOPU², BORN 19, LUGJE-DIBRA, MOSLEM, NO FORMAL EDUCATION. SERVED 3 ALBANIAN DIV IN KORCE AND KOLONJE. ENTERED GREECE AUGUST 50.

C. RAHIM DOGJANI, BORN 16, BICIJ-LUMA, MOSLEM, 4 YEARS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

D. RAMUSH RASIM ASLLAN, BORN 30, IN SKOPLJE, JUGLAND. SERVED TITO ARMY 48-50 MEMBER TITO YOUTH ORGANIZATION. ESCAPED GREECE AUGUST 50. MOSLEM, 3 YEARS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

E. IN ADDITION WILL ADD SHAQIR KABASHI AS W/T OPERATOR 5316 (IN 38638) PARA 3B AND 6184 (IN 12263) PARA 2.

2. PRQS COMPLETED AND BEING POUCHED. USE ABOVE SEQUENCE IN IDENTIFYING CRYPT NUMBERS.

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3. WISH TO MOUNT GROUP BEFORE [] DEPARTS. WILL CABLE PLANS AND OPERATIONAL EXPENDITURES. PLAN DROP GROUP AND KEEP THEM IN TARGET AREA ALL YEAR. THIS WILL NECESSITATE SUPPLY SUPPORT.

4. DESIRE HQS VIEWS ON RECRUITMENT TUF LITA, FORMER ALBANIAN ARMY OFFICER, CHIEFTAIN OF LUMA, INTELLECTUAL, PRESENTLY IN TURKEY. ISTANBUL REPRESENTATIVES ON RECENT VISIT HERE STATED TO [] THEY CAN ARRANGE PASSAGE TO GREECE. HIS RECRUITMENT NEED NOT HOLD UP OPERATION AS HE CAN BE DROPPED INTO TARGET AREA LATER. HE WOULD GIVE GROUP INCREASED CHANCES ESTABLISH GOOD NETWORKS.

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